Mountain Weather Forecast

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Monday 21 Jun 2021 until 23:59 on Tuesday 22 Jun 2021

Forecast Issued on Sunday 20 Jun 2021 at 14:48 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High confidence for generally settled conditions through the week. The main uncertainties are when weak frontal rain bands are expected on Wednesday and Thursday with variable amounts of rain and cloud.

Headline for Monday 21 Jun 2021: A bright sunny morning but cloudy at times in the afternoon with a few showers possible.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 21 Jun 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	40%	30%	30%

Forecast for Monday 21 Jun 2021

Weather: A partly cloudy night with clear spells. By morning all areas will see some cloud breaks and sunshine but it will become cloudier in the afternoon with a few showers popping up. Generally there will be periods of sunshine throughout the day and evening. A touch of wintriness to the showers at times in the cool northerly.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 95% at first, perhaps some patchy low cloud at times in any showers.

Visibility: Very good or excellent visibility in the morning likely in the clear northerly flow in the afternoon, extensive views are likely. Dipping in the afternoon near any showers to moderate and perhaps some patches of cloud falling to 700m for a time in the far west.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	10/13 N	11/14 N	11/16 N	13/19 N	13/20 N	14/21 N	14/20 N	10/14 N	7/10 NE
900	8/11 N	7/11 N	9/13 N	12/17 NW	12/18 N	12/19 N	11/17 N	8/13 N	6/9 NE
600	11/14 N	8/10 N	8/12 N	11/16 NW	11/18 N	13/20 N	12/17 N	10/14 N	6/8 NE
300	4/8 N	4/8 N	4/8 N	9/15 N	10/17 N	10/17 N	9/17 N	5/9 N	4/7 N
Glen	6/9 NW	8/12 NW	5/9 NW	8/16 N	10/19 N	10/20 N	10/19 N	6/13 NW	4/7 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	2/-2	-0/-5	-1/-6	0/-5	2/-2	3/-2	3/-2	1/-2	0/-3
900	4/1	2/-1	2/-1	4/0	7/3	7/3	6/3	4/2	3/-0
600	6/3	5/2	5/2	6/3	8/6	9/6	9/6	7/4	5/3
300	8/7	6/5	7/6	9/7	11/9	12/10	11/9	9/8	7/6
Glen	10/9	8/6	9/8	12/10	14/12	14/12	14/12	11/10	8/7
Freezing Level*	1600m	1200m	1100m	1100m	1300m	1400m	1400m	1300m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Significant wind chill at first with freezing level falling to below the highest summits for the morning, a touch of wintriness should not be ruled out.

Forecast for Tuesday 22 Jun 2021

Weather: A clear night and bright and sunny on Tuesday morning. Becoming cloudier from the west by late morning with some light and patchy rain during the evening.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 10mph increasing in the afternoon to 15mph with gusts 25mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 100% in the morning but decreasing to 60% in the afternoon for the far west as low cloud forms for Mull, Western Argyll and Lochaber ranges.

Visibility: Excellent morning visibility will reduce slightly in the afternoon and fall moderate or poor at times in the afternoon with scattered cloud in the far west from 600m.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 rising to 15 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 2 rising to 6 Celsius.
Freezing level: Around 1000m rising above the summits.

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